



# The Age of Early SPANISH Explorations & Conquests

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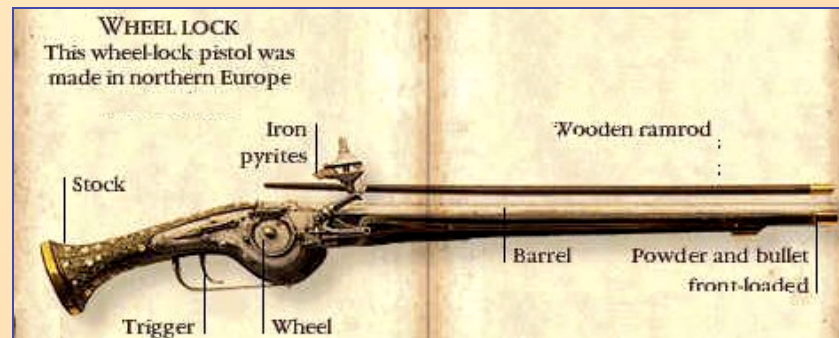
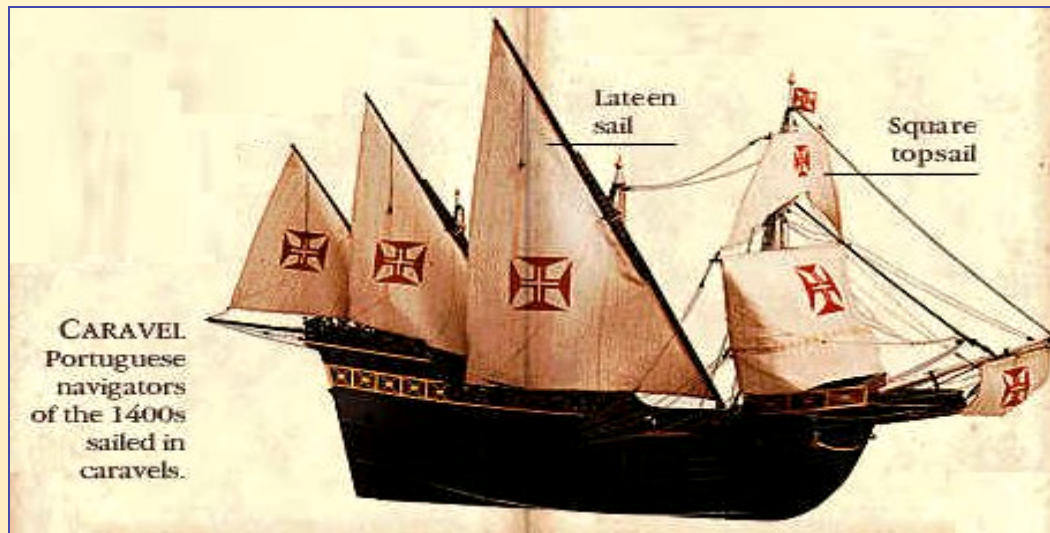
# Motives for European Exploration

**GOLD**

**GLORY**

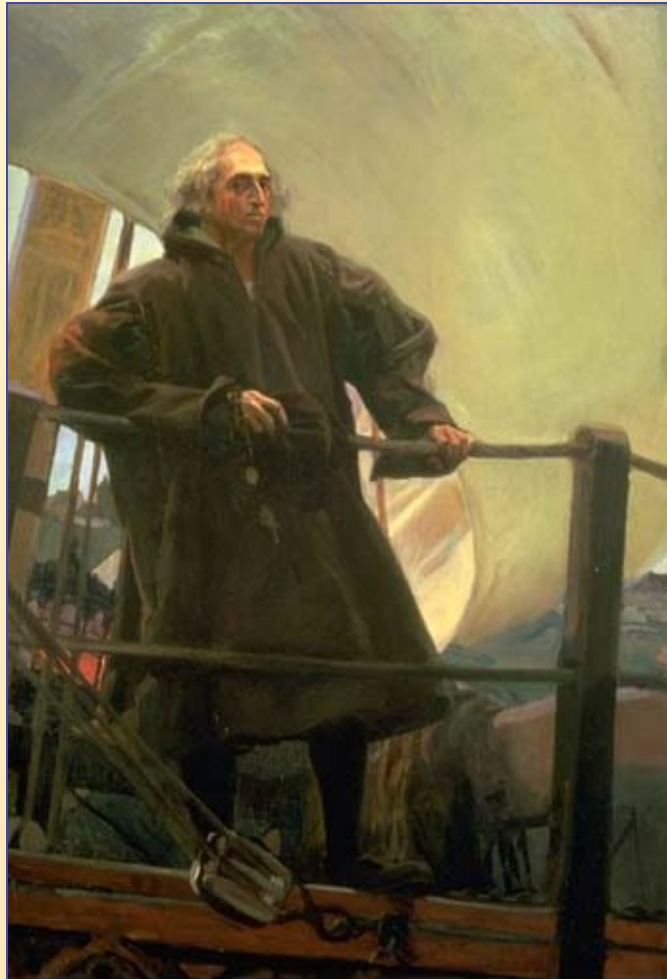
**GOD**


# New Weapons Technology



# Christoforo Colon(Columbus)

## [1451-1506]



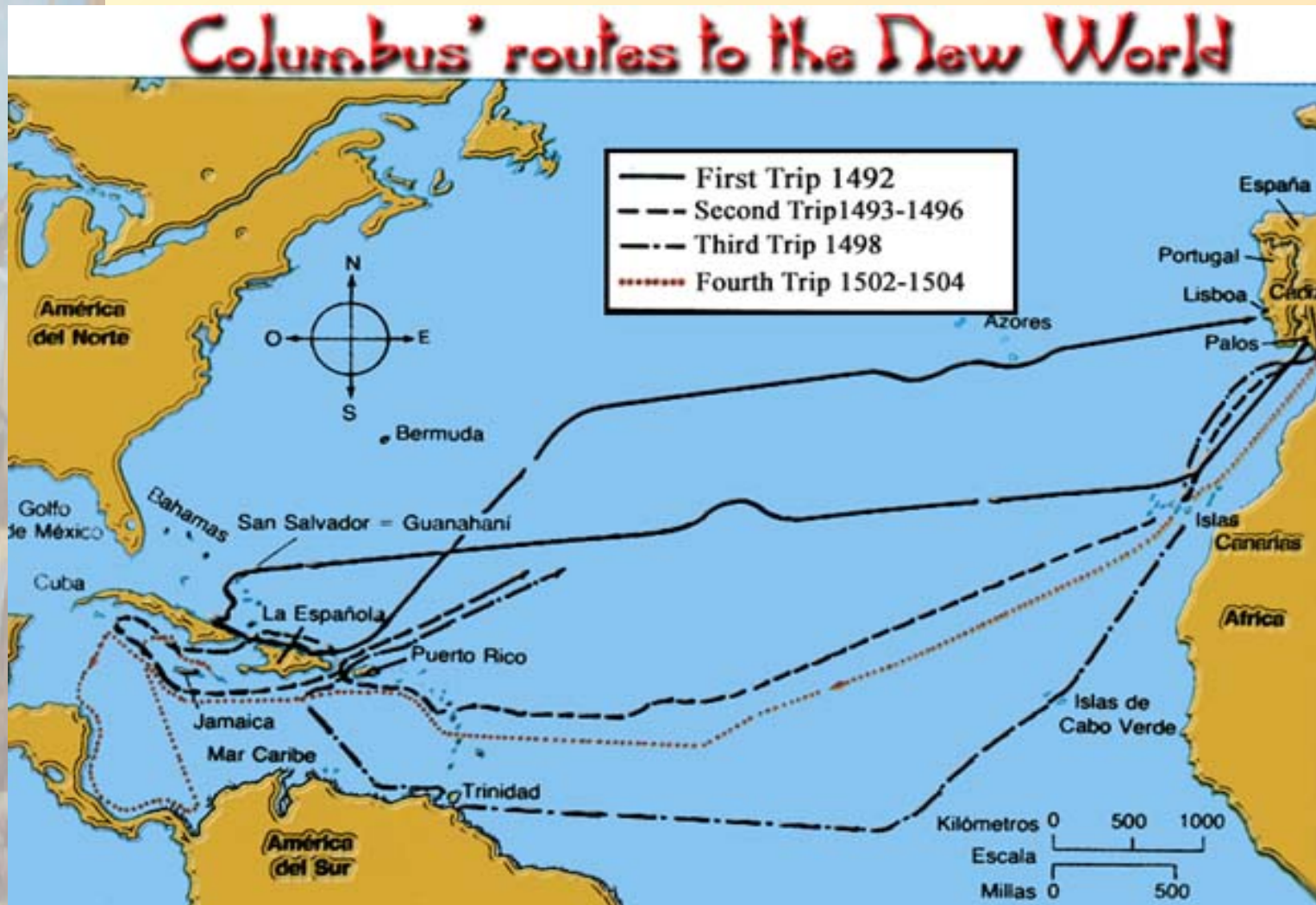


# COLUMBUS-THE TRUTH

- THOUGHT NEW WORLD WAS ASIA-INDIA
- 4 VOYAGES-1492-1504-CARIBBEAN (WEST INDIES)
- NEVER LANDED ON CONTINENTAL US
- LOOKING for SPICES and GOLD
- ENSLAVED/CONQUERED NATIVE PEOPLES
- IMPORTANCE-TRADING RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN OLD WORLD/NEW WORLD



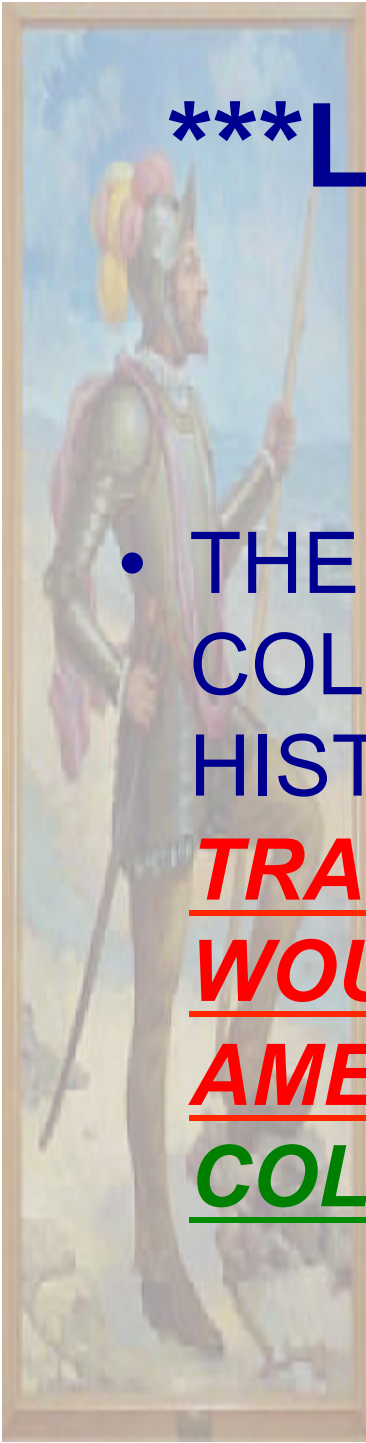
# COLUMBUS' VOYAGES





# North America





# \*\*\*LEGACY OF COLUMBUS' EXPLORATIONS

- THE GREATEST CONTRIBUTION OF COLUMBUS' DISCOVERIES TO HISTORY WOULD BE THE PERMANENT TRADING RELATIONSHIP THAT WOULD DEVELOP BETWEEN THE AMERICAS AND EUROPE.EX.  
COLUMBIAN EXCHANGE

## The Columbian Exchange

NORTH AMERICA

EUROPE

AFRICA

AMERICAS TO EUROPE, AFRICA, AND ASIA

EUROPE, AFRICA, AND ASIA TO AMERICAS



Disease

- Smallpox
- Influenza
- Typhus
- Measles
- Malaria
- Diphtheria
- Whooping Cough



Livestock

- Cattle
- Sheep
- Pigs
- Horses

- Grains
- Wheat
- Rice
- Barley
- Oats



Peaches, Pears



Coffee Beans



Olives



Onions



Turnips



Grapes



Citrus Fruits



Peppers



Sweet Potatoes



Squash



Pumpkins



Tobacco



Pineapples



Cacao



Beans



Vanilla



Sugar Cane



Bananas



Honeybees



Peanuts



Potatoes



Tomatoes

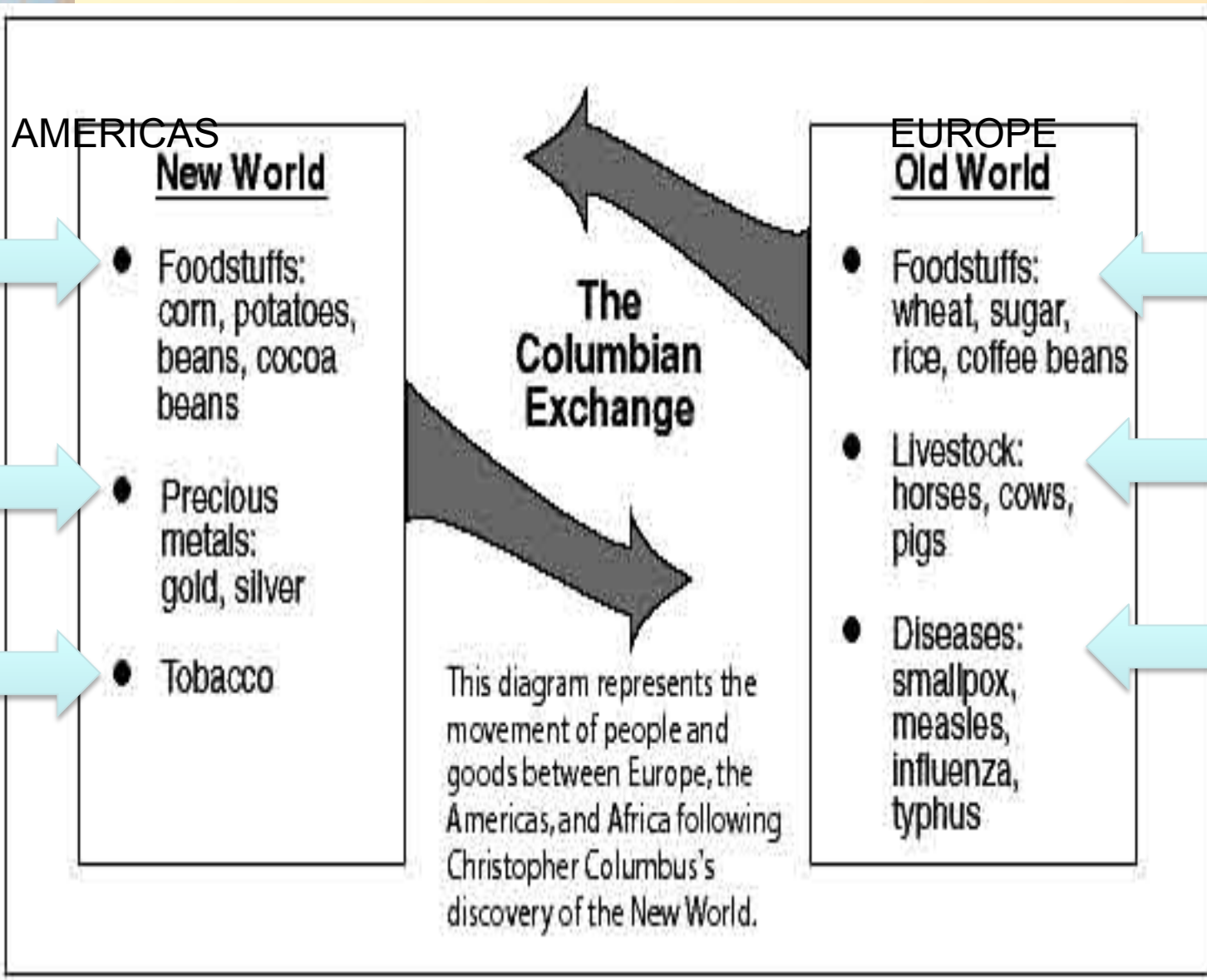


Corn



Turkeys

# \*\*\*COLUMBIAN EXCHANGE





# The Aztecs and Cortez



**Hernando Cortez**

**vs.**



**Montezuma II**

# \*\*SPANISH CONQUESTS

- 1519-CORTEZ CONQUERED THE AZTECS in *MEXICO*
- DEFEATED MONTEZUMA
- UNLIKE COLUMBUS FOUND *LOTS OF GOLD*



# Mexico Surrenders to Cortez



# The Death of Montezuma II



# European Empires in the Americas

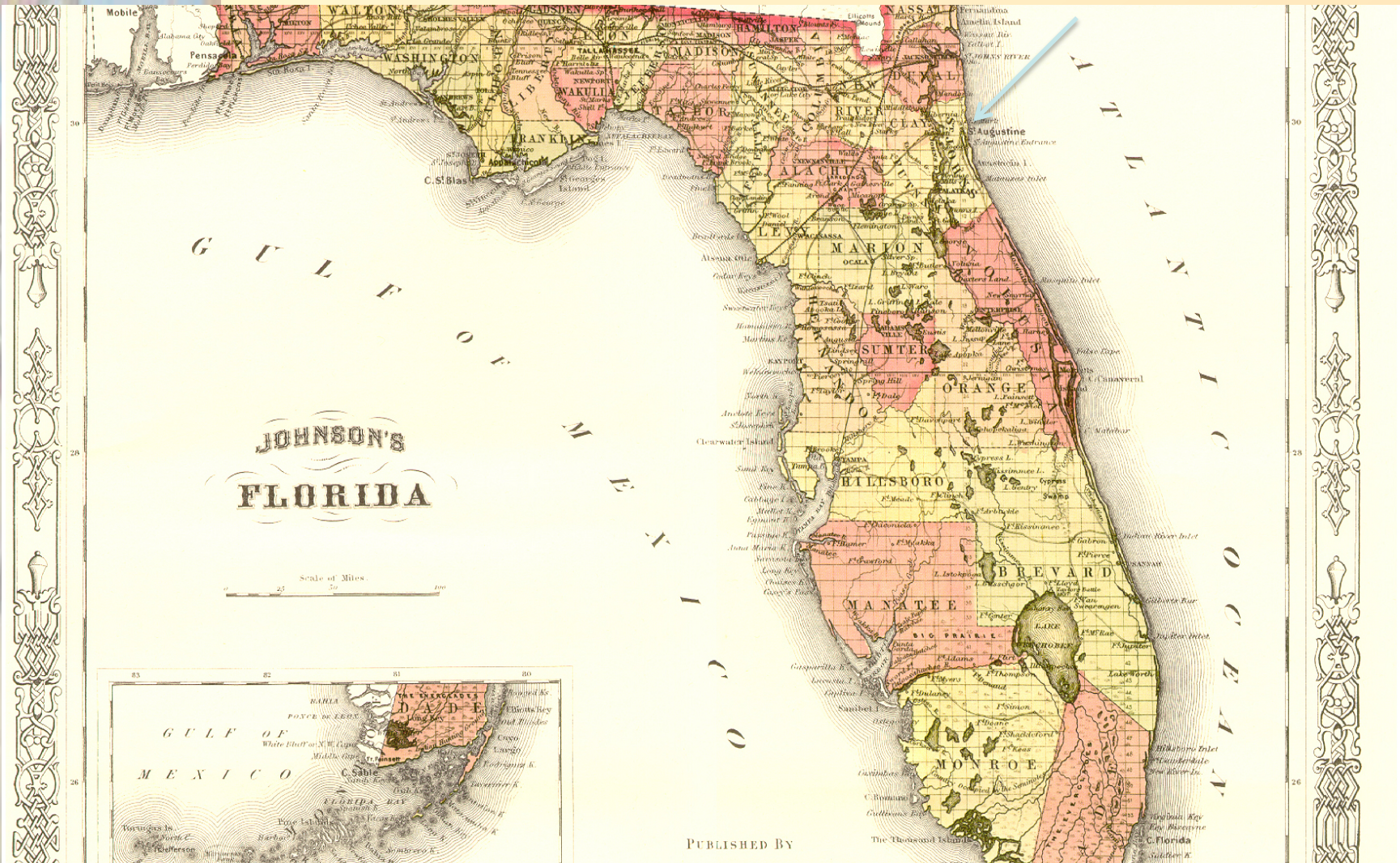


# ST.AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

- 1565-1<sup>st</sup> permanent *European* settlement in the current United States



# Historic map of Florida

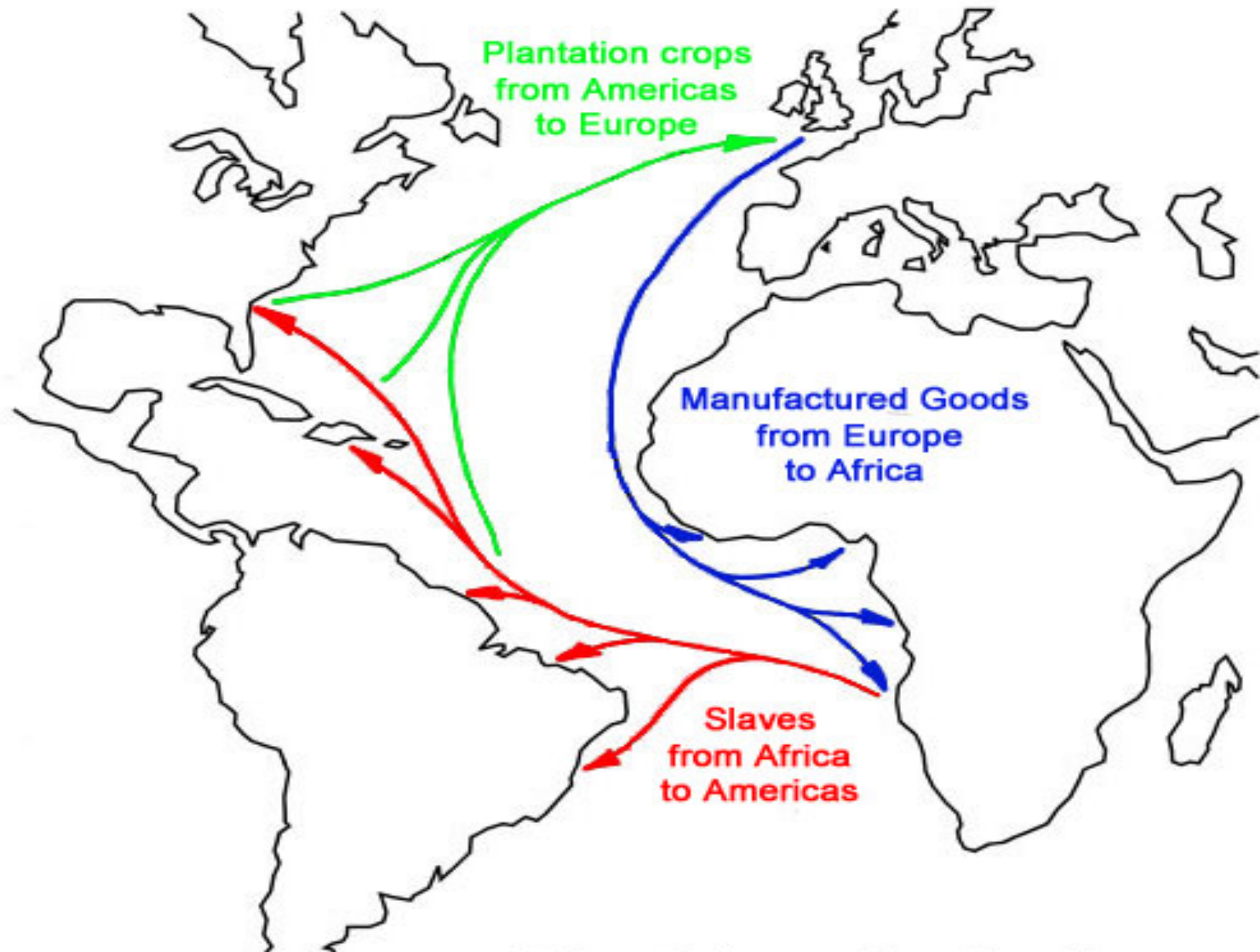


# **\*\*IMPACT ON AFRICANS**

- **AFRICANS WERE BROUGHT  
(THE TRIANGULAR TRADE  
ROUTE) TO THE AMERICAS AS  
SLAVES IN THE CARIBBEAN  
AND LATER ON SOUTHERN  
PLANTATIONS**



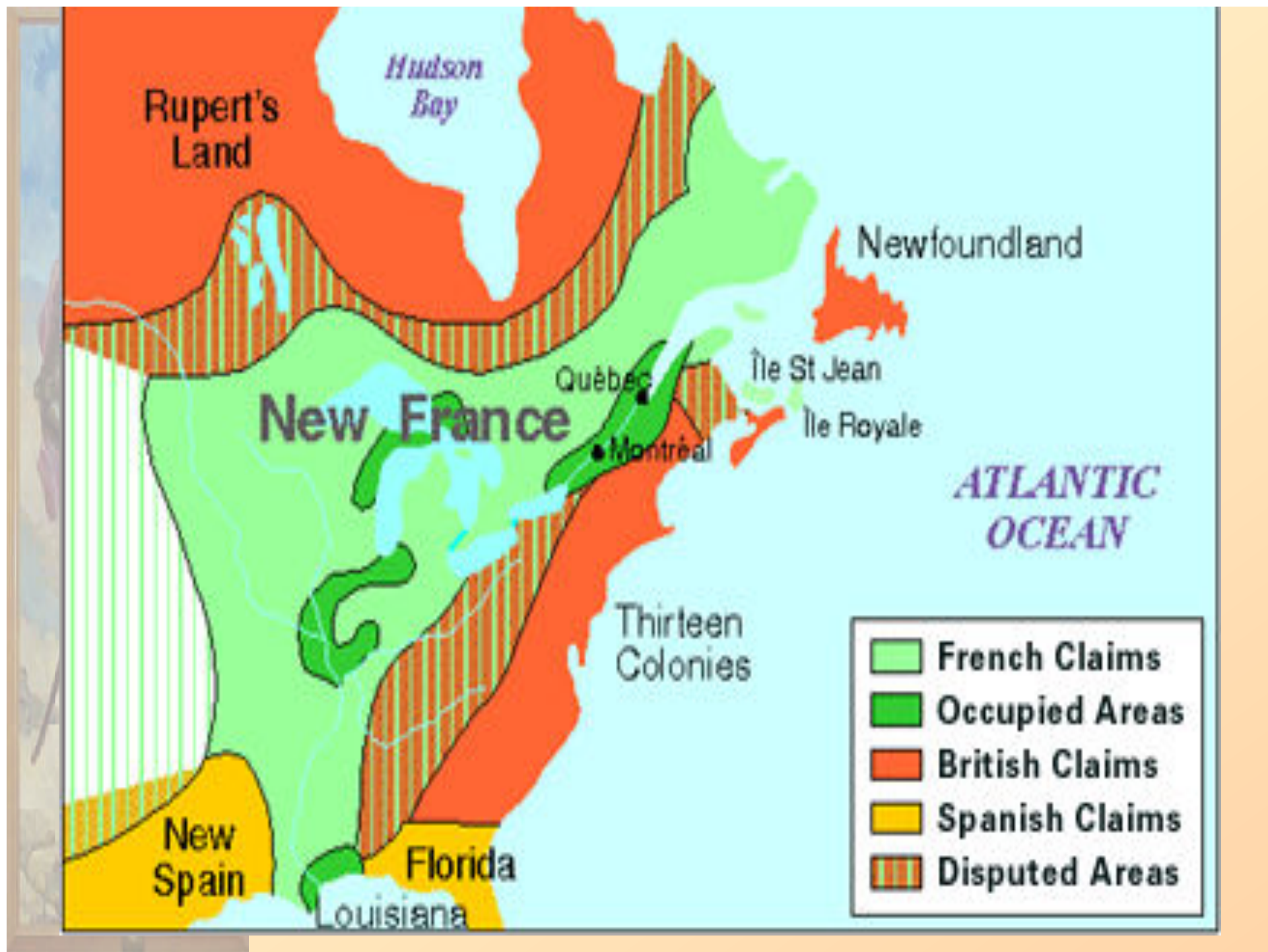
# TRIANGULAR SLAVE ROUTE



# \*\*\*FRENCH EXPLORATION



- By contrast, FRENCH exploration of Canada DID NOT lead to large scale immigration from France
- Relations with native peoples were better-
- Indians helped with fur trade





# EARLY EXPLORATION/ COLONIZATION

- IMPACT OF EARLY EXPLORATION/COLONIZATION WAS THE **REDISTRIBUTION** OF WORLD' S PEOPLE/ POPULATION.